

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
for the
EASTERN District of NEW YORK

DEVENDRA SHUKLA)	
Plaintiff)	
v.)	Civil Action No. CV07-2972 (CBA)
SAT PRAKASH SHARMA, et al.)	
Defendant)	

JUDGMENT IN A CIVIL ACTION

The court has ordered that (*check one*):

- the plaintiff (*name*) _____ recover from the defendant (*name*) _____ the amount of dollars (\$ _____), which includes prejudgment interest at the rate of _____ %, plus post judgment interest at the rate of _____ %, along with costs.
- the plaintiff recover nothing, the action be dismissed on the merits, and the defendant (*name*) _____ recover costs from the plaintiff (*name*) _____
- other: _____

This action was (*check one*):

- tried by a jury with Judge CAROL BAGLEY AMON presiding, and the jury has rendered a verdict. (SEE ATTACHED CALENDAR SHEET)
- tried by Judge _____ without a jury and the above decision was reached.
- decided by Judge _____ on a motion for _____

Date: 12/30/2010

CLERK OF COURT

Tanessa W. Hallsey
Signature of Clerk or Deputy Clerk

BEFORE: CAROL BAGLEY AMON

DATE: December 15, 2010

TIME: 9:45-3:00

REPORTER: Anthony Frisolone

CIVIL CAUSE FOR JURY TRIAL

DOCKET #: CV 07-2972

CASE TITLE: **Shukla v. Sharma**

FOR PLAINTIFF: **Sanjay Chaubey, Esq.** FOR DEFENDANT: **Krishnan Chittur, Esq.**
Andrey Strutinskiy, Esq.

- Case called.
 Counsel for all sides present.
 Hindi Interpreter sworn:
 Jurors sworn.
 Trial commenced.
 Trial continued to:
 Trial concluded.

Other
 Deliberations continued (9:45 am).
 Deliberations concluded (3:00 pm).
 Findings:

A. Forced Labor: Jury found against dfts Sat Prakash Sharma, Geeta Sharma and Vishva Seva Ashram of New York .

B. Damages for Forced Labor: Jury found \$250,000.00 in compensatory damages.
Punitive Damages: not found by Jury.

C. Trafficking: Jury found against dfts Sat Prakash Sharma, Geeta Sharma and Vishva Seva Ashram of New York .

D. Damages for Trafficking:

Compensatory Damages: Jury found \$750,000.00
Punitive Damages: found by Jury:

Sat Prakash Sharma: \$750,000.00
Geeta Sharma: \$750,000.00
Vishva Seva Ashram of New York: \$1,000,000.00

E. Libel - Sat Prakash Sharma:

Jury found that dft Sat Prakash Sharma established by a preponderance of the evidence that pltf Devendra Shukla libeled her ~~her~~ ~~him~~

F. Damages for Libel - Sat Prakash Sharma:

Compensatory Damages: Jury found: \$300,000.00
Punitive Damages: Not found by Jury

G. Libel - Geeta Sharma:

Jury found that dft Geeta Sharma established by a preponderance of the evidence that pltf Devendra Shukla libeled ~~her~~ ~~him~~

H. Damages for Libel - Geeta Sharma: Jury found: \$150,000.00

Punitive Damages: Not found by Jury

I: Libel - Vishva Seva Ashram of New York: Jury found that dft Vishva Seva Ashram of New York established by a preponderance of the evidence that pltf Devendra Shukla libeled it.

J. Damages for Libel -Vishva Seva Ashram of New York:

Compensatory Damages: Jury found \$50,000.00
Punitive Damages: Not found by Jury

K. Conversion: Jury found that dft Vishva Seva Ashram of New York did not establish by a preponderance of the evidence that pltf Devendra Shukla converted property at the temple